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(b) whether the promotion was departmental or made by the Services Commission?

A.—(a) Two.

(b) The promotions were made in consultation with the Madras Services Commission.

S. M. K. Beyabani Sahib Bahadur:—"May I ask whether these two gentlemen were not sent to England on Government scholarships for higher studies, long before the Madras Services Commission was brought into being?"

The hon. Diwan Bahadur S. Kumaraswami Reddiyar:—"Possibly, I cannot say."

S. M. K. Beyabani Sahib Bahadur:—"In case they were sent by the Government, may I know what is the necessity for now consulting the Madras Services Commission with regard to their promotions after they returned from England?"

The hon. Diwan Bahadur S. Kumaraswami Reddiyar:—"The appointment has to be made in consultation with the Madras Services Commission and it does not matter whether they were sent to England on Government scholarships."

S. M. K. Beyabani Sahib Bahadur:—"May I know whether the candidates are not recruited by the Services Commission?"

The hon. the Diwan Bahadur S. Kumaraswami Reddiyar:—"The Services Commission makes only recommendations and the Government makes the appointments."

Differential treatment in the pay of secondary-grade trained teachers and Urdu Munshis and Pandits.

* 261 Q.—Mr. Basheer Ahmed Sayeed: Will the hon. the Minister for Education and Excise be pleased to state—

(a) whether the scale of pay for the secondary-grade trained teacher differs from the scale of pay for the Urdu munshis and pandits in the high schools;

(b) if so, in what respects and for what reasons;

(c) when these scales of pay were fixed and under what circumstances;

(d) whether any memorials have been received from the munshis and pandits to enhance their scales of pay; and

(e) if so, what the orders of the Government were and the reasons therefor?

A.—(a), (b) & (c) The hon. Member is referred to page 37 of G.O. No. 311, Public, dated 13th April 1933, which has been placed at the disposal of the Press. The scales of pay were fixed in connexion with a general revision of the pay of the subordinate services and with due regard to the qualifications required for the posts and the duties appertaining to them.

(*d*) & (*e*) No such memorials have been received in recent years. Memorials were, however, received in 1927-28 and it was decided that no change in the scales of pay as existed then was called for.

Admission of students into the Teachers' College, Rajahmundry.

* 262 *Q.*—Khan Bahadur YAHYA ALI SAHIB Bahadur: Will the hon. the Minister for Education and Excise be pleased to state—

(*a*) the number of candidates admitted in the Teachers' College, Rajahmundry, during the years 1932–33 and 1933–34;

(*b*) whether there has been any reduction in the number admitted in the latter year; if so, for what reasons;

(*c*) whether the selection of candidates was made by the Selection Committee;

(*d*) whether all Telugu districts are represented;

(*e*) the number of applications received during the year 1933–34; and

(*f*) whether the Government will be pleased to place on the table of the House a list of candidates admitted this year and last year, districtwar and communitywar?

A.—(*a*)

Year.	Number admitted
1932–33	100
1933–34	100

(*b*) No. The latter part of the question does not arise.

(*c*) Yes.

(*d*) Yes.

(*e*) 428.

(*f*) A list is appended. [a]

Admission into the Queen Mary's College, Madras.

* 263 *Q.*—Mr. ABDUL HAMEED KHAN: Will the hon. the Minister for Education and Excise be pleased to state—

(*a*) the total number of applicants for seats in the first year class and the third year class in the Queen Mary's College, Madras;

(*b*) how many of them are from the Andhra districts;

(*c*) the number of Andhra applicants who have been admitted and the number refused;

(*d*) the number of Andhra students studying at present in the various classes in the college;

(*e*) whether there is a complaint that Andhra applicants are not receiving due consideration from the college authorities;

(*f*) whether there is any committee to regulate admission into the college; and

[a] Printed as Appendix V on page 309 infra.